

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Masaaki USUI

Group Art Unit: 3624

Application No.: 09/679,294

Examiner:

S. Karmis

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Docket No.:

107531

For:

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR UNIFIED MANAGEMENT OF PLURALITY OF

ASSETS USING COMPUTER NETWORK

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In reply to the November 5, 2003 Office Action, the period for response being extended by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.